GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
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Sexual abuse of Children in Observation/Special Homes
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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken note of incidents of abuse/sexual abuse committed with children in conflict with law in observation/special homes; and
(b) if so, the number of such incidents reported during the last three years and the current year along with the action taken by the Government against the officials found guilty, State/UT-wise?

Answer

(a) & (b): The National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR) has reported that it has registered 27 complaints concerning sexual abuse and harassment of children committed in Child Care Institutions including Observation and Special homes during the years 2014-15, 2015-16 and the current year 2016-17 (as on March 10, 2017). The State/UT-wise detail is annexed. The details regarding action taken against guilty officials of CCIs is not maintained centrally in the Ministry of Women and Child Development/NCPCR.

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